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1. EMBOFFS WERE SURPRISED TO READ IN REFTEL THAT LAB IN "DEFAULT" ON EXIMBANK LOANS AS WE HAD RECEIVED NO PRIOR ADVICE. COMATT CHECKED IMMEDIATELY WITH GEN. CASANOVAS, UNDER SECRETARY FOR CIVIL AVIATION, WHO EVEN MORE SURPRISED. HE, IN TURN, IMMEDIATELY CALLED LAB PRESIDENT BILBAO WHO SAID PAYMENT BEING PROCESSED THROUGH MINFIN NOW AND PAYMENT NOT DUE UNTIL SEPTEMBER 30.

2. WE ARE NOT AWARE THAT LAB IS IN DEFAULT AS THAT TERM MEANS TO US THAT A PAYMENT IS OVERDUE FOR MORE THAN 180 DAYS. INFORMATION AVAILABLE TO EMBASSY FROM LOCAL SOURCES INDICATES THAT PREVIOUS LAB PAYMENT ON BOEING 2568 DUE MARCH 30 PAID APRIL 2 AND ON FAIRCHILD 2569 DUE MAY 31 PAID IN FULL JULY 2. DEPARTMENT WILL RECALL THAT PROBLEM OF DELAYED PAYMENT IN MAY WAS QUICKLY RESOLVED (STATE 136684 AND LA PAZ 4261). STEDMAN

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